

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Council

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# 8th District Update

# **AMWSAP: Implementation Continues**

The Armstrong Mill West Small Area Plan (AMWSAP) continues to be a helpful tool that guides improvements in our district. Improving uses within parks, enhancing connectivity and increasing police presence were reoccurring themes expressed by our community during the public engagement process.

In January of this year, I shared with you some of the actions I've initiated in support of the plan we helped develop. As implementation continues, I want to update you on additional improvements made in our district throughout the year:

- Armstrong Mill Rd, from Tates Creek Rd to Man O' War Blvd, was completely resurfaced with added bike lanes. Many neighborhood roads were paved as well.
- ♦ Construction of the Gainesway Shared Use Trail was completed.
- ♦ Park ambassadors were assigned to Berry Hill Park to deter opportunities for crime.
- The youth football program run by the Lexington Police Athletics League (PAL) was reestablished at Gainesway Park.

Responding to your needs and implementing the AMWSAP will remain my top priorities for the 8<sup>th</sup> district. If you have any questions or suggestions for improving our community, always feel free to contact me.

## **Leaf Collection Starts in November**



The Leaf Collection Vacuum Program begins Wednesday, November 9 th and runs through Thursday, December 22nd. This once-a-year service is for residents who receive city refuse collection. To participate in the program, rake leaves into a pile between the sidewalk and street no later than the Sunday before your

scheduled collection week. Use the map on the <u>City's website</u> to find out when service crews will be in your area.

# Fall Paving Season, 2016

ATS Construction, guided by the Lexington Division of Streets and Roads, resurfaced or performed preventative maintenance on the following 8<sup>th</sup> District roads in **September, 2016**:

Armstrong Mill Rd (from Appian Way to MOW), Calera Ct, Gamay Ct, Beringer Dr, Claywood Ct, Chardon Ct, Mildara Ct, Galt Ct, Leonne Ct, Colonnade Dr, Promenade Dr, Keystone Ct, Shelburn Ct, Bal Harbor Ct, River Park Cr, Keeneland Ct, Caulder Rd, Hot Springs Ct, Hialeiah Ct, Austin Ct, Crosby Ct, Promenade Ct, Evanoff Ct, Marsanne Ct, Greentree Rd, Centre Pkwy.





Dear 8th District Resident.

As we move into the fall and winter seasons, your local government provides

many services that help make our community a wonderful place to live. In this issue, you'll find information about leaf collection and the annual toy drive hosted by the Lexington Fraternal Order of Firefighters.

We had an excellent road paving season this fall and we plan to do more in 2017 based on our street ratings and citizen input. I am trying to get the lowest rated streets paved first while maintaining those that are in good condition.

I currently have the following items in committees to be reviewed by the Council:

- ♦ Security Cameras in Parks
- Increased Use of Speed Monitors
- Review of Long Term Debt Limits
- Review of Existing Curfew Law

I will keep you updated on each of these items as they are presented to the Council.

I remain committed to improving government services for 8th District residents. Please use my office as a resource if you or someone you know needs help during the cold winter months. Thank you for your continued support and have a happy holiday season.

#### CONTACT INFORMATION

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# 8<sup>th</sup> District Neighborhood Association **Receives Storm Water Grant**

Congratulations to the **Tanbark Association of Neighbors** for receiving a grant from the Lexington Division of Water Quality. The \$31,650 award will be used to improve a neighborhood swale through the installation of an erosion mat and native vegetation plantings. Kudos to our Tanbark neighbors for all of their hard work!

#### **Attention Neighborhood Leaders**

Registering your neighborhood association with the Office of the Kentucky Secretary of State opens the door to various funding opportunities. Let me help you get started! For more information, email me at fbrown@lexingtonky.gov.

#### **Toy Program Kicks Off Holiday Season**



The Lexington Fraternal Order of Firefighters has begun their annual toy drive! Now in its 85<sup>th</sup> year, the program annually serves children and families who need support during the

holiday season. You can help by dropping off a new, unwrapped toy at any Lexington fire station. Visit the Lexington Fraternal Order of Firefighters on Facebook for more details.

Election Day is Tuesday, November 8th. Find your voting location on the Fayette County Clerk's Website.

#### 8th District Neighborhood Associations

- Centre Parkway Neighborhood Association
- $\Diamond$ **Dove Creek Townhome Owners Association**
- $\Diamond$ **Gainesway Neighborhood Association**
- $\Diamond$ Meadowcreek Neighborhood Association
- $\Diamond$ Pinnacle Homeowner's Association
- $\Diamond$ River Park Neighborhood Association
- $\Diamond$ **Tanbark Association of Neighbors**
- Vineyard Neighborhood Corporation

## **Community Parks**

- $\Diamond$ Berry Hill Park, 3489 Buckhorn Dr
- Gainesway Park, 3460 Campus Way
- $\Diamond$ Hartland Park, 3701 Kenesaw Dr
- River Hill Park, 3800 Crosby Dr  $\Diamond$
- Tates Creek Park, 1400 Gainesway Dr



## **LFUCG Department of Police East Sector Roll Call Center**



**Gainesway Shopping Center** 1165 Centre Pkwy Lexington, KY 40517 Phone: (859) 258-3600 Fax: (859) 971-9658

> Commander **Rodney Sherrod**

**Bureau of Patrol** 

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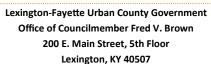
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